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## Making Good.

There is no way of making lasting friends like "Making Good," and Doctor Pierce's medicines well exemplify this, and their friends, after more than two decades of popularity, are numbered by the hundreds of thousands. They have "made good" and they have not made drunkards.

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PAUL R. BARRINGER, M. D., L. I., D. President. 1926 2m

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Miss A. M. CHANDLER, Principal. aug16 2m

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WM. R. LITTLE, sept 14

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## THE GULF STORM.

Central last night in Mississippi and sweeping north at the rate of 200 miles a day, the hurricane which devastated the Gulf coast on Monday night and yesterday and left a trail of wreck and ruin through four states, continued on its course with unabated fury.

Of the ruin that it has wrought no one can give an estimate. In New Orleans alone five are known to be dead and a million dollars will not repair the damage done to the beautiful Crescent City. It is said that plate glass alone will cost \$100,000 to replace.

From the little aristocratic summer colonies on the Louisiana and Mississippi Gulf coast come vague tales of devastation and fears that many lives have been lost. The wealthy summer tourists who own pleasure craft are wont to spend much time upon them, and it is possible that many have been lost.

Biloxi, the mecca of the wealthy, is still isolated, and its fate is unknown. Jackson, Miss., the capital of the state, is still cut off from the coast points. The dome of the new capital at Jackson was wrecked and the old capital unroofed. The streets were a tangle of live wires, and the fallen trees and debris made the highways impassable.

At Vicksburg, two vessels were sunk and a third was driven ashore. Their passengers were rescued. One vessel lies across the channel and has blocked navigation.

From Mobile comes the tidings that the steamer Pleasure Bay is missing and it is hoped that it has been driven ashore and its passengers saved. How many are on board is not known. The property damage in Mobile and vicinity will not be large. Some loss of life is reported in the vicinity of Chef Menteur, Louisiana.

The hurricane was severe at Gulfport, Miss., waves coming over the mammoth pier and water going into the city, doing considerable damage. Nothing south of Gulfport has been heard from.

Late weather bureau reports last night indicated the tropical storm has passed directly northward during the night from the Louisiana coast along the Mississippi river, and was then centered over eastern Arkansas. Heavy rains and strong winds, reaching from gale to hurricane force, have attended the advance of the storm, and considerable damage has occurred to telegraph lines and interests in the lowlands in the middle Gulf region. The highest winds reported were Mobile, 60 miles southeast, and New Orleans, 68 miles southeast.

Rains will occur during the next 24 to 36 hours over practically the entire country from the Mississippi valley eastward.

## A REMARKABLE OPERATION.

An operation which the attending physician declared opened up a new field to surgical science was performed at the French Hospital, in West Thirty-fourth street, New York, recently, on a woman who had accidentally swallowed two tacks three-fourths of an inch long. The tacks had settled, one in each lung. To save the woman's life it was necessary to remove the tacks. Dr. Jackson, of the Pittsburgh Eye and Ear Hospital, successfully performed this operation. Dr. Jackson used a bronchoscope, a delicate instrument fitted with a series of tiny mirrors. With this instrument the bronchial tube of the patient was penetrated. The instrument is a tube, and through this fine forceps were operated. Guided by the x-ray pictures, which showed the exact location of each tack, and the bronchoscope, the tiny forceps were brought into contact with one of the tacks, and after delicate manipulation the piece of metal was gripped by one end and drawn safely up. The same success attended the removal of the second tack. Dr. Jackson was assisted by several physicians while others watched the operation.

## TO BUY THREE RAILWAYS.

Frank Trumbull, of New York, chairman of the board of directors of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company, was in conference in Richmond yesterday with President George W. Stevens. In company with Mr. Stevens he left last night for a trip of observation and inspection of the Chesapeake and Ohio trackage and stations. While with President Stevens Mr. Trumbull went over a proposition, which will come up before the next board meeting, regarding the purchase by the Chesapeake and Ohio of two short lines in West Virginia and one in this state. That these lines will be bought is a foregone conclusion, the preliminary steps being already concluded. Fiscal action will be taken by the board when the charters and property of three lines are surrendered and turned over to the purchasing company. This will be done at the meeting scheduled for October 19 in New York city. The three roads to be thus acquired are: The Coal River Railway, about 70 miles long, which crosses the main line of the Chesapeake and Ohio at St. Albans, W. Va.; the Raleigh and Southwestern Line, about ten miles long, crossing the Piney Creek branch of the Chesapeake and Ohio at Buckley, W. Va.; the Virginia Air Line Railroad, about 30 miles long, intersecting the James River Line of the Chesapeake and Ohio at Stratmore, Va. All these roads run into valuable coal deposits.

## VANDALISM.

A statue of the Blessed Virgin in the grotto of Our Lady of Lourdes, on the grounds of the Marist College and Seminary, at Pleasant Hill, Brookland, D. C., was pried out of its place a few days ago, thrown to the ground, the hands broken off and the upper portion of the head crushed with a heavy instrument. Two days after this occurred a crucifix was taken from the altar in the grotto, broken in pieces, and thrown on the ground a short distance away, and a rosary that was in the hand of a statue of Bernadette, the little girl who is said to have first seen the vision of Our Lady of Lourdes on the rocks of Massabie, in France, was torn to pieces, and the beads scattered over an adjacent field.

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